



EDMONTON SALUTES COMMITTEE

2021 Annual Report and 2022 Work Plan

RECOMMENDATION

That the April 27, 2022, Office of the City Clerk report OCC00966, be received for information.

Report Purpose

Information only.

REPORT

The Edmonton Salutes 2021 Annual Report and 2022 Work Plan is presented by Brian Hodgson, Chair.

Edmonton Salutes promotes and recognizes our local military community contributions, both at home and abroad, toward world peace, security and stability. It further reinforces the message that military personnel, their families, and veterans are valued members of the Edmonton Capital Region.

Edmonton Salutes was first established as a committee of Council on July 3, 2007 and was formally established as an administrative committee in 1997.

The Edmonton Salutes Committee is a committee of Edmonton City Council charged with building and maintaining relationships between the City and region and the Canadian Armed Forces (both regular and reserve) members and families who are stationed and serve locally. Members of the Committee are drawn from citizens at large and organizations that have strong relationships with the Canadian Armed Forces.

Edmonton Salutes engaged in a governance review from November 2019 until fall 2020, and the review provided several recommendations regarding governance, membership, strategy, reporting and budget. Following these recommendations, the Committee resumed operations in September 2020 with a first key task to develop a strategic plan for 2021-24.

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ATTACHMENTS

1. Edmonton Salutes Committee - 2021 Year in Review
2. 2021 Budget and Actuals
3. Edmonton Salutes Committee Strategic Plan 2021-2024